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PART V

Season Report for the Week ending with the Forty-third Saturday in 1938
(*22nd October* 1938.)

District and Station	Rainfall up to 8 A.M. on Saturday, the 22nd October 1938										Price of food grains in seers per rupee and market fluctuations in prices of food grains			
	This week		Last 35 years' average for the corresponding week		Upto the end of the week from 1st January 1938									
					This year		Average of past 35 years		Excess (+) or deficit (—) of column 4 compared with column 5					
1	2		3		4		5		6		7			
	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c	I.	c.	I	c		This week	Past week	Past ten years' fortnightly average
BANGALORE														
Bangalore (observatory)	0	03	0	97	30	70	30	29	0	41		Seers	Seers	Seers
Hoskote ...	0	00	1	02	21	44	25	12	— 3	68				
Dodballapur ...	0	00	0	85	24	05	26	44	— 2	39	Rice, 2nd sort.	7·00	7·00	8·00
Nelamangala ...	0	00	0	97	26	57	26	36	0	21				
Kankanhalli ...	0	00	1	17	38	18	26	90	11	28	Ragi	16·00	16·00	18·00
Magadi ...	0	00	1	14	36	51	28	76	7	75				
Channapatna ...	0	00	1	25	35	58	28	78	6	80	Kulthi	12·00	12·00	15·00
Anekal ...	0	00	1	18	26	86	29	01	— 2	15				
Devanhalli ...	0	00	1	01	24	63	25	66	— 1	03	Kadale	9·00	9·00	10·00
Closepet ...	0	00	1	17	29	95	28	86	1	07				
District average ...	0	00	1	07	29	45	27	62	1	83				
KOLAR														
Kolar ...	0	00	0	93	16	30	22	60	— 6	30				
Bowringpet ...	0	00	0	98	21	25	23	66	— 2	41				
Chintamani ...	0	00	0	80	30	10	22	13	7	97	Rice, 2nd sort.	7·50	7·50	6·00
Mulbagal ...	0	00	1	07	19	61	23	92	— 4	31				
Sidlaghatta ...	0	00	0	88	27	59	24	71	2	88	Ragi	18·00	18·00	12·00
Chikballapur ...	0	00	0	75	30	71	25	96	4	75				
Bagepalli ...	0	00	0	65	30	46	22	25	8	21	Kulthi	14·00	14·00	11·00
Goribidnur ...	0	00	0	68	31	94	23	68	8	26				
Malur ...	0	00	1	03	23	40	25	22	— 1	82	Kadale	8·00	8·00	7·00
Srinivaspur ...	0	00	0	94	23	06	23	25	0	19				
Gudibanda ...	0	00	0	67	36	17	25	85	—10	32				
District average ...	0	00	0	85	26	42	23	93	3	49				
TUMKUR														
Tumkur ...	0	00	0	98	27	41	27	79	0	38				
Madhugiri ...	0	00	0	83	32	13	22	99	9	14				
Chiknaikanhalli ...	0	00	0	98	24	05	22	98	1	07	Rice, 2nd sort.	9·00	9·00	5·00
Sira ...	0	00	0	82	21	45	19	09	2	36				
Gubbi ...	0	00	0	97	35	19	24	97	10	22	Ragi	16·00	16·00	11·00
Tiptur ...	0	00	0	93	16	89	20	16	— 3	27				
Pavagada ...	0	00	0	89	31	06	17	83	13	23	Kulthi	11·00	11·00	12·00
Kunigal ...	0	00	1	04	30	38	26	40	3	98				
Koratagere ...	0	00	0	82	22	58	21	83	0	75	Kadale	7·50	7·50	5·00
Turuvekere ...	0	00	1	43	28	71	22	92	5	79				
District average ...	0	00	0	97	26	99	22	70	4	29				

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	This week		Last 35 years' average for the corresponding week		Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1938									
					This year		Average of past 35 years		Excess (+) or deficit (—) of column 4 compared with column 5					
1	2		3		4		5		6		7			
	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.		This week	Past week	Past ten years' fortnightly average
MYSORE												Seers	Seers	Seers
Mysore (observatory)	0	00	1	10	17	23	25	61	— 7	38				
Chamarajnagar ...	0	00	1	50	20	23	22	51	— 2	28				
Seringapatam ...	0	00	1	30	19	27	22	25	— 2	98				
Hunsur ...	0	00	1	37	19	73	26	91	— 7	18				
Krishnarajnagar ...	0	00	1	41	16	95	22	05	— 5	10	Rice, 2nd sort.	8·00	8·00	8·00
Heggaddevankote	0	00	1	44	30	63	33	01	— 2	38				
Gundlupet ...	0	72	1	38	15	69	21	16	— 5	47	Ragi	16·00	16·00	16·00
Nanjangud ...	0	00	1	33	17	13	24	42	— 7	29				
T.-Narsipur ...	0	00	1	24	25	41	23	60	1	81	Kulthi	14·00	14·00	14·00
Malvalli ...	0	00	1	27	19	80	22	92	— 3	12				
Mandya ...	0	00	1	41	20	40	23	01	— 2	61	Kadale	9·00	9·00	7·50
Krishnarajpete ...	0	00	1	30	19	54	24	58	— 5	04				
Nagamangala ...	0	34	1	32	22	33	22	92	— 0	59				
Periyapatna ...	0	00	1	40	19	54	28	69	— 9	19				
Maddur ...	0	00	1	21	22	33	24	51	— 1	68				
French-Rocks ...	0	00	1	25	17	28	21	90	— 4	62				
District average ...	0	06	1	33	20	25	24	38	— 4	13				
HASSAN														
Hassan (observatory)	0	00	1	46	16	13	29	63	—13	50				
Manjarabad (Sakleapur)	0	00	1	47	66	46	86	97	—20	51	Rice, 2nd sort.	9·00	9·00	9·50
Arkalgud ...	0	00	1	32	19	69	32	60	—12	91				
Belur ...	0	98	1	20	20	49	35	09	—14	60	Ragi	18·00	18·00	18·00
Channarayapatna ...	0	24	1	18	20	89	23	12	— 2	23				
Arsikere ...	0	00	1	24	19	54	21	86	— 2	32	Kulthi	12·00	12·00	14·00
Hole-Narsipur ...	0	00	1	38	20	75	23	38	— 2	63				
Alur ...	0	00	1	61	21	20	37	59	—16	39	Kadale	8·00	8·00	8·00
District average ...	0	15	1	36	25	64	36	28	—10	64				
SHIMOGA														
Shimoga ...	0	00	1	07	19	93	29	53	— 9	60				
Channagiri ...	0	00	0	80	23	34	24	99	— 1	65				
Honnali ...	0	00	0	85	16	50	20	51	— 4	01	Rice, 2nd sort.	7·50	7·75	6·54
Shikarpur ...	0	00	1	02	30	33	32	42	— 2	09				
Scrab ...	0	00	0	93	45	73	57	78	—12	05	Ragi	20·00	20·00	15·60
Sagar ...	0	00	1	06	70	64	80	24	— 9	60				
Nagar (Kallurkatte)...	0	00	1	03	92	86	100	68	— 7	82	Kulthi	11·00	11·00	9·44
Tirthahalli ...	0	00	1	33	99	34	117	28	—17	94				
Kumsi ...	0	00	0	99	33	11	38	11	— 5	00				
District average ...	0	00	1	01	47	97	55	72	— 7	75				
KADUR														
Chikmagalur ...	0	14	1	27	20	37	30	85	—10	48				
Kadur ...	0	00	1	21	13	86	18	68	— 4	82	Rice, 2nd sort.	7·50	7·50	8·00
Tarikere ...	0	00	0	97	21	80	31	89	—10	09				
Koppa ...	0	00	1	24	103	96	112	67	— 8	71	Ragi	18·00	16·00	20·00
Mudgere ...	0	00	1	63	61	68	90	92	—29	24				
Narasimharajpura ...	1	68	1	21	47	17	68	44	—21	67	Kulthi	10·00	11·00	16·00
Sringeri ...	0	00	1	50	141	82	142	06	— 0	24				
District average ...	0	26	1	29	58	67	70	85	—12	18	Kadale	8·50	9·00	9·00
CHITALDRUG														
Chitaldrug(observatory)	0	00	0	88	21	24	20	87	0	37				
Challakere ...	0	00	0	76	15	06	15	45	— 0	39	Rice, 2nd sort.	7·00	7·00	5·00
Hiriyur ...	0	00	0	81	14	33	18	38	— 4	05				
Holalkere ...	0	00	0	81	23	03	21	40	1	63	Ragi	22·00	22·00	12·00
Davangere ...	0	00	0	84	18	43	22	27	— 3	84				
Molakalmuru ...	0	00	0	80	21	75	20	83	0	92	Kulthi	12·00	12·00	9·00
Jagalur ...	0	00	0	80	21	48	19	21	2	27				
Hosdurga ...	0	00	0	96	15	11	19	75	— 4	64	Cholum	16·00	16·00	12·00
Harihar ...	0	00	0	80	12	98	18	41	— 5	43				
District average ...	0	00	0	83	18	16	19	62	— 1	46	Kadale	8·00	8·00	5·00
Provincial average ...	0	06	1	09	31	69	35	14	— 3	45				

NOTE—Rice (husked)—Oryza Sativa
Ragi—Eleusine Corocana.
Cholum—Sorghum Vulgere.
Kadale—(Bengalgram) Ciser Arietinum.

DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets how supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. Prospects of the season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief and state of food stocks.

11. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage or fodder, etc.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Standing Crops.*—Paddy, sugarcane, ragi, avare, thogari and groundnut are in good condition.

Crops Harvested.—Sugarcane is being milled in parts of Bangalore Taluk.

Crops Sown.—Transplanting of paddy is reported to be going on in parts of Bangalore Taluk.

Rain is badly wanted for the dry crops in all parts in the district.

10. Good.

11. Cattle are generally healthy.

Water and fodder are available.

It is reported that "Black quarter" is prevailing in parts of Closepet Taluk and the Veterinary Department is taking necessary action to check the spread of the disease.

KOLAR.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Agricultural Operations.*—Ploughing of wet lands in some parts of Sidlaghatta Taluk is in progress.

Standing Crops.—Ragi, avare, sugarcane, groundnut, thogari, horsegram and paddy are reported to be in good condition, except in parts of Mulbagal, Srinivaspur and Chintamani where it is reported that the dry crops are withering for want of rains.

Crops Sown.—Paddy in parts of Sidlaghatta Taluk.

Crops Harvested.—Groundnut in Kolar, Malur, Sidlaghatta; same in Malur and Bagepalli Taluks; onions and jola in Sidlaghatta Taluk; giddaragi in Gudibanda Taluk; tobacco in Goribidnur Taluk are being harvested.

10. Generally good except for prevalence of plague at Sundarapalya and Kodagepalli in Bowringpet Taluk, in Chintamani Town and two villages in Ambajidurga Hobli, in Achampalli and Dodamaladoddi in Srinivaspur Taluk.

11. Cattle are reported to be healthy in all parts of the district.

Cooly classes find sufficient labour.

Fodder and water are available.

TUMKUR.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Crops Sown.*—Jolam and horsegram in Kunigal Taluk and horsegram in Turuvekere Taluk are reported to be sown.

Standing Crops.—Ragi, avare, castor and thogari in parts of Madhugiri, Chiknayakanhalli, Sira, Gubbi and Turvekere Taluks; hutchellu in Chiknaikanhalli and Kunigal Taluks; groundnut in parts of Madhugiri, Gubbi, Pavagada and Kunigal Taluks; sugarcane in Kunigal, Turvekere and Koratagere Taluks; nati-ragi, paddy, jolam, navane, haraka, castor, groundnut in Pavagada Taluk are reported to be in good condition.

Standing crops in Gubbi and Kunigal Taluks are reported to be in need of rain.

Crops Harvested.—Groundnut, paddy and sugarcane in parts of Tumkur Taluk; groundnut in parts of Gubbi Taluk; nati-ragi, jolam and navane in Pavagada Taluk; ragi and navane in Koratagere Taluk are being harvested.

10. Fair.

11. Cattle are reported to be healthy except for "Foot and Mouth disease" in Kibbanahalli, Hatna, Bheerasandra Villages in Tiptur Taluk.

Water and fodder are available.

MYSORE.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Agricultural Operations.*—Sugarcane is being transplanted in parts of of T.-Narsipur Taluk.

Standing Crops.—Such as paddy in parts of Mysore, T.-Narsipur, Seringapatam, Mandya, Hunsur, Heggaddevankote, Nanjangud, French-Rocks and Maddur Taluks; ragi in parts of Mysore, T.-Narsipur, Chamarajnagar, Mandya, Nanjangud, French-Rocks, Maddur and Malvalli Taluks; jola in parts of Periyapatna and Maddur Taluks; horsegram in parts of Mysore, T.-Narsipur, Chamarajnagar, Periyapatna, Mandya, Hunsur, Maddur and Malvalli Taluks; blackgram in Mysore, T.-Narsipur and Heggaddevankote Taluks; greengram in parts of Mysore, T.-Narsipur, Heggaddevankote and Malvalli Taluks; thogari in Heggaddevankote, Chamarajnagar and Malvalli Taluks and groundnut in Malvalli Taluk are reported to be in good condition. Rain is badly needed for these crops.

Crops Harvested.—Groundnut is being harvested in parts of T.-Narsipur Taluk; chilly in parts of Heggaddevankote Taluk; ragi and tobacco in parts of Periyapatna Sub-Taluk and sugarcane in Maddur Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are good.

Food stocks are available in sufficient quantities.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy.

Water and fodder are available in sufficient quantity.

"Anthrax" is reported to be prevalent in Arakere Village, Seringapatam Taluk. Necessary preventive measures are being adopted.

HASSAN.

8. Well supplied.

Crops Sown.—Nil.

Crops Harvested.—Sugarcane and groundnut are being harvested in Channarayapatna Taluk.

9. *Standing Crops.*—Paddy and sugarcane in Arkalgud and Belur Taluks; paddy, ragi, jola, horsegram, groundnut and sugarcane in Channarayapatna Taluk and Alur Sub-Taluk; doddaragi, kulthi, chillies and tobacco and avare in Hole-Narsipur Taluk are reported to be in good condition. It is reported that rain is required for standing paddy crops in Hassan, Arkalgud, Belur, Arsikere taluks and Alur Sub-Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are reported to be fair.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy except for 'Blackqaurter' at Chowlagala village in Channarayapatna Taluk. It is reported that the Veterinary Inspector has been addressed in the matter.

Water and fodder are available.

SHIMOGA.

8. Well supplied.

9. I. *Agricultural Operations.*—Horsegram and navane are being sown in Honnali Taluk.

II. *State of Standing Crops.*—The standing dry and wet crops are reported to be good in all the taluks except in some of the villages of Shimoga, Shikarpur and Sorab taluks. Koleroga in Sorab Taluk is yet prevailing. Kotte and spraying operations are continued to check the spread of the disease.

III. *Crops Harvested.*—Ragi in Shimoga Taluk; groundnut in Channagiri Taluk, and areca in Sagar, Hosnagar and Tirthahalli taluks; paddy and ragi in Shikarpur Taluk are being harvested.

10. Prospects of the season are reported to be fair except for want of rains in Shimoga, Honnali, Shikarpur and Sorab taluks.

11. *Condition of Cattle.*—The cattle are reported to be generally healthy except for the prevalence of "Rinderpest" in Shantagere, Biluvani, Chatradahalli and Hirekasvi villages of Sorab Taluk; Guddadanosahalli and Thalagunda villages of Shikarpur Taluk; and "Foot and Mouth Disease" in Itigehalli of Kumsi Sub-Taluk. The concerned Veterinary Inspectors are reported to be taking necessary action to suppress the disease.

Fodder and water are available to cattle.

KADUR.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Agricultural Operations.*—Nil.

Standing Crops.—Paddy, sugarcane, ragi, jola, navane, save, avare, chillies, groundnut, areca, cardamom, pepper and coffee are reported to be in good condition. It is reported that areca crop has been affected by Koleroga in Koppa Taluk.

Crops Harvested.—Nil.

10. Prospects of the season are fair.

Standing Crops in Kadur and Chikmagalur taluks require rain.

Food grains are available and their prices remain steady except in Chikmagalur Taluk where it is reported that there is slight rise in the prices of foodstuffs.

Cooly classes find sufficient labour.

11. Cattle are generally healthy and water and fodder are available throughout the district.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Markets are reported to be well supplied.

9. *Agricultural Operations.*—Sowing of bili jola in Hiriyur Taluk; wheat, kadale and bili jola in some parts of Hosdurga Taluk are reported to be going on.

Standing Crops.—Standing crops are reported to be in good condition.

Crops Harvested.—Jola in Holalkere Taluk; groundnut and navane in Davangere Taluk; jola, navane and sejje in Molakalmuru Taluk; groundnut and navane in Jagalur Taluk; til in Hosdurga Taluk and groundnut in Harihar Sub-Taluk are being harvested.

10. Prospects of the season are reported to be good.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy throughout the district except for the prevalence of "Foot and Mouth disease" in Ramagiri village of Holalkere Taluk and in Sadarahalli village in Srirampur Hobli of Hosdurga Taluk. Necessary preventive and remedial measures have been adopted by the Veterinary Inspectors concerned to check the spread of the disease.

Water and fodder are available throughout the district.

OFFICE OF THE REVENUE COMMISSIONER IN MYSORE,
Bangalore, dated the 25th October 1938.

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Revenue Commissioner.